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entered today is not binding precedent of the Board.

Paper 33

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BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS
AND INTERFERENCES

MATTHEW JOSEPH CAREY, ERIC EDWARD FULLERTON,
BRICE ALVIN GURNEY, HAL JERVIS ROSEN
and MANFRED ERNST SCHABES

Junior Party,
(Patent 6,280,813),

v.

E. NOEL ABARRA, IWAO OKAMOTO,
and YOSHIFUMI MIZOSHITA

Senior Party,
(Application 09/425,788).

Patent Interference No. 105,156

Before: SCHAFER, TORCZON, and MEDLEY, Administrative Patent Judges.

MEDLEY, Administrative Patent Judge.

Judgment - Bd.R. 127(b)(1)

On 10 February 2005, the board received from Abarra "ABARRA MOTION FOR
ENTRY OF ADVERSE JUDGMENT" (Paper 31). Abarra requests abandonment of its involved

application. Abandonment of an involved application is construed as a request for adverse judgment. Bd.R. 127(b)(1).

Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that judgment as to the subject matter of the count is herein entered against the senior party ABARRA;

FURTHER ORDERED that senior party ABARRA is not entitled to claims 1-12 and 19-25 which correspond to the count;

FURTHER ORDERED that if there is a settlement agreement, the parties should note the requirements of 35 U.S.C. 135(c) and Bd.R. 205;

FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this judgment be filed in the respective involved applications of the parties; and

FURTHER ORDERED that the clerk of the Board have entered into the ABARRA application file 09/425,788 the ABARRA notice for express abandonment.

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